

ABSTRACT

The present invention provides a G1 transgenic bird or an offspring thereof by: incubating a fertilized avian egg, microinjecting, into the early embryo thereof at a stage except for and after the blastodermic stage just after egg laying, a replication-deficient retroviral vector coding for a useful protein, allowing the egg to hatch out to thereby obtain a G0 transgenic chimeric bird, and mating the G0 transgenic chimeric bird with another G0 transgenic chimeric bird or an offspring thereof or with a wild-type bird. The present invention is a G1 transgenic bird or an offspring thereof by: incubating a fertilized avian egg, microinjecting, into the early embryo thereof at a stage except for and after the blastodermic stage just after egg laying, a replication-deficient retroviral vector coding for a useful protein, allowing the egg to hatch out to thereby obtain a G0 transgenic chimeric bird, and mating the G0 transgenic chimeric bird with another G0 transgenic chimeric bird or an offspring thereof or with a wild-type bird.

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